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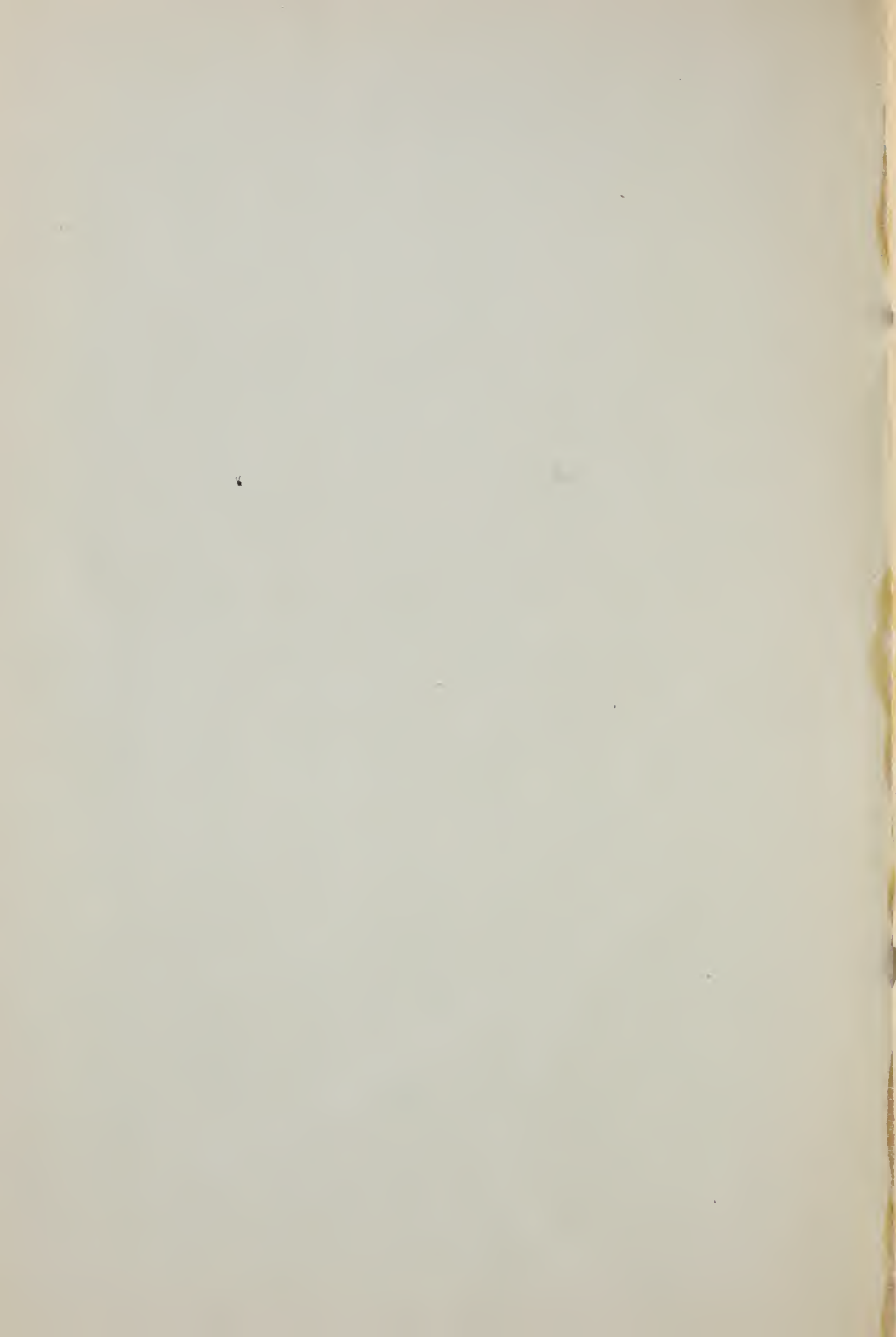


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A. B. AUSTIN,
DOWNERS GROVE, DUPAGE COUNTY,
ILLINOIS.



A. B. AUSTIN'S

CATALOGUE

OF

Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Shrubs and Plants.

Cultivated and for Sale
At the Downers Grove Nursery.

Downers Grove, DuPage County, Illinois.

For 1900



A. B. AUSTIN'S CATALOGUE.

CARD.

In presenting my Annual Catalogue of Fruit, Ornamental and Evergreen Trees, Shrubs and Plants, my customers may rest assured that the collection embraces only the best. I find, after an experience of over twenty-five years in Nursery and Fruit Grounds, that we have a soil and climate that requires varieties peculiarly adapted to them.

Many varieties of Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Shrubs, and especially small fruits, that do well in the eastern states are nearly or quite worthless here; while many that do indifferently there are valuable here.

The Trees, Shrubs, etc., catalogued and offered for sale are much larger than those ordinarily offered by agents and those shipped in from a distance. The Shrubs are several times transplanted and are very fine and stocky. Have also large nursery grown Shade Trees from 3 to 6 inches in diameter for immediate effect, and large bearing Fruit Trees that have borne in nursery rows. Also have smaller Trees, Shrubs, etc., than those priced in this Catalogue, for which much less is charged. Will always sell as cheap as any reputable nursery firm for the same class of goods, but find my customers usually want the best and are willing to pay for them, and have tried to grow it for them. We have now Apple, Cherry, and Pear trees with many varieties of Small fruits that do exceedingly well here and can be depended upon to bear well, but all trees require care, as much at least as a hill of corn or potatoes. They must have as much care but need no more.

Trees and Shrubs delivered and set on line of C. B. & Q. Railroad.

Contracts also taken to furnish, set, and guarantee to Corporations, or those starting suburban villages, on reasonable terms.

Large-sized Shrubs on hand and for sale at special prices.

 *Correspondence Solicited.*

ADVERTISEMENT.

The following prices at the Nursery only. Will deliver at the depot free, but charge for packing and boxing. In no case will I hold myself responsible for any loss or damage occurring from any cause, after delivery to the Railroad or Express Companies. Address A. B. AUSTIN,

Downers Grove, DuPage County, Illinois.

A Few Choice New Varieties Of Fruit and Ornamental Trees and Shrubs Which I Believe are Desirable Acquisitions.

Bechel's Double Flowering Crab—A Seedling of the native Crab Apple. It is perfectly hardy, has great beauty of blossoms and leaf, and delicious fragrance: the only sweet scented double Flowering Crab; the blossoms are as full as any double rose; a beautiful thing; blooming size, each.....\$2.00

Berberis Thunbergii—A Dwarf Berberry, and as an ornamental berried shrub stands in the foremost place of either hardy or tender plants. It comes into bloom and leaf among the earliest shrubs in spring, and bears an enormous crop of scarlet berries that begin to ripen in August. These berries often hang on the plants all winter and until May, when the plants are again in full flower. It is very hardy, of the neatest, prettiest form and is very thrifty,75 cents each.

Ginnala Maple—An exquisite miniature Maple from Siberia, with deeply notched leaves, which take on the most gorgeous colors in autumn; orange, crimson and ebony black; perfectly hardy and exceedingly ornamental. Two to three feet high, well branched.....75 cents each,

Golden Syringia—Its leaves are golden yellow and holds its color well into late fall. For an ornamental hedge it has no superior if an equal; with its bright golden yellow, as a lawn plant, it always attracts attention. Two feet.....50 cents each.

Japan Weeping Rose Flowered Cherry—Brought from Japan by Von Siebold, and is certainly one of the finest pendulous trees for lawns or small grounds, the branches are slender and fall gracefully to the ground and the flowers are rose colored; undoubtedly one of the finest weeping cherries, \$1.75 each.

Herbaceous Paeonis—That are new or very scarce, of the *Officinalis* variety. The earliest in bloom in the spring.

Mutabilis—Rose, changing to white, new. Price.....75 cents each.

Rosea—Pure rose, full and double. Price.....75 cents each.

Tenuifolium—Single, dark Crimson, rich fern-like foliage and flowers distinct, the earliest flowering. Price.....50 cents each.

Tenivifolium Fl. Pl.—New and choice, quite distinct, and has very beautiful, fern-like foliage, flowers the color and shape of Jacqueminot Rose, more double, and one third larger.....75 cents each.

Agnes Emily Carman—A hybrid Rugosa rose very hardy, semi-double, fine in bud state, continue in bloom a long time; a very free bloomer; color very rich deep crimson. Its



hardiness, strong, vigorous, growth and rich, heavy foliage makes it a fine and very desirable shrub and if it did not bloom it would be very desirable; dormant plants, each.....50 cents.

Blanch Double de Courber—Purest Paper white, blooming in clusters of from five to ten flowers; double, very sweet. A strong, rampant grower, having the true *Rugosa* foliage; flower nearly five inches in diameter, produced freely and lasting well. Perfectly hardy. Its strong, healthy growth, fine glossy foliage and very free, almost perpetual, flowering habit, make it one of the finest roses for cemetery planting. Strong dormant plants, each, 50 cents.

Belle Poitevine—A strong, vigorous grower, with magnificent foliage. Very free and branching, and every tip laden with immense bouquets of large pink roses. Buds very long; perfume exquisite and quite unique. Very free. Strong dormant plants, each.....50 cents.

Crimson Rambler Rose—This rose will stand our climate and is a grand acquisition. It is remarkable for its color, which is of the brightest crimson and remains undimmed to the end. The flowers are produced in great pyramidal panicles or trusses, each carrying from thirty to forty blooms, which remain perfect on the plant for upwards of two weeks. Price, dormant plants, each.....50 cents; from pots, 25 cents each.

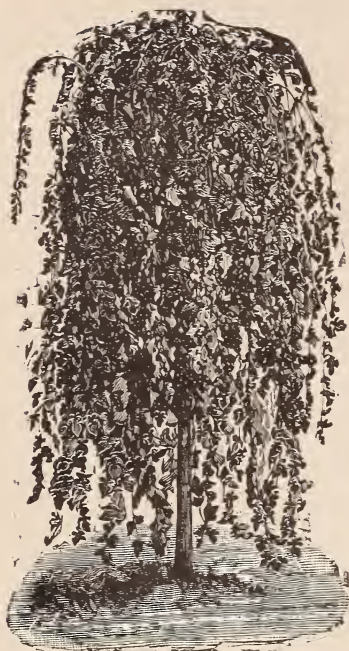
Madame G. Bruant—Rose---the first of a new race of hybrids originated in 1888; have had it on my grounds and blooming for seven years. It is very hardy, resembling its parent *Rugosa*, and is a true perpetual bloomer; blooms all Summer until stopped by frost. In bud state the flowers are long and pointed, when open semi-double, pure white and fragrant, and produces freely in clusters; a vigorous grower, strong foliage, free from attacks of insects, makes a large bush; a desirable rose; each, 75 cents.

Spirea Van Houttei—A new *Spirea* which forms a round, graceful, pendulous bush three or four feet high, with rich, glossy, trifoliate leaves. It is a valuable bush that keeps a rich color and a clean surface to its foliage all through the heat of summer. It far surpasses all other members of this numerous family in the superb beauty and gracefulness of its blossoms. The bush is often completely hidden by its pure white blossoms in May and the admiration of all who see it. Each.....75 cents.

Clematis Paniculata—The best of all hardy climbers. This is one of the most desirable, handsomest and hardiest of our garden vines, and it is long lived and easy to grow and manage. It is one of the very best of vines to grow near the house, as it is so free from insects, and remains neat looking throughout the whole summer. The flowers are of medium size, pure white, borne in immense sheets, and of a most delicious and penetrating fragrance. Each.....50 cents.

Mad. Ed. Andre—This is the nearest approach to bright red *Clematis* and has been called the *Crimson Jackmanii*. The plant is a strong, vigorous grower and very free in bloom. Color, a distinct crimson red, a very pleasing shade, and entirely distinct from all other varieties; each, 75 cents.

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Teas' Weeping Mulberry—Of all beautiful, hardy Weeping Trees this is the most hardy, vigorous and healthy grower, as well as the most delicate, graceful and beautiful in foliage and habit. Purely Russian, it possesses wonderful vigor and hardiness, enduring without injury great extremes of cold and heat, wet and drouth. Each\$3.00

Tree Lilac—A beautiful tree that is found growing only in one small neighborhood, in the most northern island of Japan. It makes a straight, stout, well-branched tree, in shape like a young ash tree, with leaves so large and handsome that it would be in demand as a grand lawn tree for its foliage alone; but when it puts forth, in mid summer, when other lilacs have long been gone, its immense clusters of white blossoms, standing stiffly up on the outer and top shoots of the tree, it is then without a doubt the most showy of all our ornamental trees. Six to seven feet high, each, \$2.00

Umbrella Tree—*Catalpa Bungeii*. This tree makes a round, compact top, resembling an open umbrella. The only tree that grows in this form. They are perfectly hardy and clear from insects or disease, and will stand our dryest weather and hottest sun without injury. Leaves are large and hold their color until frost. A choice tree for any yard. Price, each,\$2.00



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GENERAL CATALOGUE.

APPLE TREES.

We find there are but a few varieties that do well in this climate, and accordingly have reduced our list, adding at times such as appear worthy, offering none but what I think worthy of cultivation.

Price, except where noted six to eight feet high 25 cents each.

Large trees Prices on application.

SUMMER APPLES.

Duchess of Oldenburg—Moderate grower, very productive, fruit streaked red and yellow.

Early Colton—Very hardy, new choice, early apple; a good bearer of superior quality of fruit; color yellowish white; ten days earlier than Early Harvest.

Golden Sweet—Strong, vigorous, fruit large, yellow, productive, sweet.

Keswick Codlin—Rapid grower, productive, pale yellow, acid, bears young.

Red Astrachan—Upright, free grower, fruit large, nearly crimson, juicy, acid.

Sweet June—Medium, light yellow, very sweet summer apple; tree upright grower and productive.

Yellow Transparent—(Russian, new)—This is a valuable apple; it is earlier, larger, handsomer and better than the old Early Harvest, perfectly hardy and a good bearer.

FALL APPLES.

Arabskoe—(Arabian Apple)—Russian; large, greenish yellow ground covered with purplish red; flesh fine grained, white, juicy, sub-acid; foilage very large; beautiful apple.

Cayuga Red Streak—Thrifty, healthy, fruit striped, large, handsome productive.

Cooper—Upright, good bearer, fruit medium, rich yellow, streaked with red.

Jeffrey—Medium or rather large, yellow with red stripes, flesh yellowish white very tender and juicy, quality one of the best, sub-acid.

Longfield—A melting, juicy, sub-acid, good Russian apple, quality of the best. A great bearer of nice red apples; tree very hardy; one of the best; no orchard complete without this variety.

Maiden's Blush—The tree is hardy and vigorous, very productive, fruit medium to large of a pale, waxen yellow, blushed with bright carmine, flavor acid, aromatic season September and October.

Pond Sweet—Medium grower, fruit large, yellow, sweet, keeps till winter.

Tetofsky—A medium-sized Russian apple, fine grained, juicy, quality good, perfectly hardy, acid, season August.

Titovka (Titus Apple)—Russian; large greenish yellow ground striped with red, juicy, very mild acid, good quality and productive, ripe in September.

Wealthy—Hardy, free grower, fruit medium, dark and fine, juicy, sub-acid.

WINTER APPLES.

Bailey Sweet—Vigorous, productive, large red striped, rich and sweet.

Ben Davis—Hardy, vigorous, productive, fruit large; striped, sub-acid.

Fameuse (or Snow)—Hardy, vigorous productive, fine dessert fruit, red, juicy, early winter.

Golden Russett (American)—Hardy, large, vigorous, popular, choice apple.

Grimes Golden—A fine, juicy, aromatic, sub-acid apple; fine for dessert, quality the very best; season January to March.

Mann—Medium to large, deep yellow, juicy, mild sub-acid, hardy, upright grower, late keeper, January to April.

Minkler—Hardy, large, red apple, tree a vigorous grower, acid, good keeper.

Northwestern Grening—A Wisconsin apple, one of the most valuable extra late keepers; the tree is a straight, thrifty, vigorous grower, very hardy. An early continuous bearer, fruit is large to very large, yellowish green, mild, pleasant, sub-acid, season from November to April. This so far has proved to be a very profitable apple for home use and market. Trees 4 feet.....40 cents each.

Pewaukee—Hardy, raised from seed of Oldenburg, medium to large, skin yellow striped with dark red, flesh white, tender, juicy, sub-acid, tree vigorous.

Rawles' Janet—Medium grower, overbears; fruit green, red stripes, choice.

Reyka Malenka—A good Russian winter apple, perfectly hardy, fruit medium, yellow with crimson splashes and stripes, season late winter, quality good.

Siloam—Tree a fine grower, an enormous bearer; new and fine, fruit of good quality and keeps well.

Sweet Rambo—Size medium, yellow shaded red, tender, juicy, rich, aromatic, late fall and early winter.

Walbridge—Very hardy and productive; fruit medium, yellow shaded red, tender, juicy.

Willow Twig—Hardy, productive, late keeper, very profitable, fruit large, striped, acid, valuable.

Wolf River—Large to very large, yellowish white splashed with red, a valuable early winter apple; acid, tree very hardy; origin in the northwest.

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Wythe—A medium red streaked, good winter apple, a seedling of the *Janette* which it resembles in quality of fruit, but much larger and every way more valuable.

Jonathan—Medium covered with a brilliant dark red, very beautiful, fine grained, juicy, sub-acid, aromatic, a superior table fruit, top grafted on very hardy trunks. Price.....50 cents each.

CRAB APPLES.

Price.....50 cents each.

Hyslop—Remarkably vigorous, productive, fruit large, deep crimson, keeps well, valuable for market.

Minkler's Yellow—A fine yellow crab of large size, tree a vigorous grower; the best yellow crab.

Paul's Imperial—A cross between the Red Astrachan and Siberian Crab, fruit good size, skin yellow, covered with bright red, a vigorous grower, ripens early.

Transcendant—A beautiful variety, red and yellow, strong grower.

Whitney No. 20—Vigorous, upright, fruit large, rich, juicy; choice desert, canning and preserving fruit.

PEARS.

Standard Trees, first class.....75 cents each.

Dwarf Trees, first class.....50 to 75 cents each.

Bartlett—Erect grower, fruit large, buttery, melting, September.

Burre D'Anjou—Vigorous, productive, fruit large, buttery, early winter.

Burre Hardy—Large, russety, melting, juicy, very good, October.

Clapp's Favorite—Vigorous grower, fruit rich, large, early in September.

Duchess—Vigorous grower, fruit large and choice, October and November.

Flemish Beauty—Vigorous, spreading, fruit large, melting, sweet, productive, September and October.

Howell—One of the finest American pears, tree vigorous and hardy fruit, very fine.

Keiffer—Tree vigorous; early and prolific bearer; fruit large, ripens in October and November; as a canning pear it has no superior.

Lawrence—Medium to large, yellow, melting, very good, November.

Lincoln Pear—If one-half said about this pear is true, it is a wonderful pear. A seedling of Illinois, now fifty-nine years old, one foot from the ground, measures six feet and four inches in circumference; bears annually; it has borne sixty bushels of pears in one year; the tree is still vigorous; it and trees grafted from it are free from blight; all heavy bearers; fruit medium to large; quality the best, with a rich, aromatic flavor.

Sheldon—A pear of first quality, large, round, russet and red, tree vigorous, erect and handsome, season October.

CHERRIES.

Early Richmond—A well-known cherry, early, red, acid; ripens last of June; hardy and productive. Six to seven feet.....75 cents each.

Montmorency—A beautiful, large red cherry, larger and finer than *Early Richmond*, ten days later, a good bearer and very hardy. We have had it bearing for several years. It is a very desirable cherry. Five to six feet.....75 cents each

Russian Cherries—The Russian Cherries are much hardier than the *Richmond*, and generally bear young and well. They should be extensively planted. Five to six feet high.....75 cents each

PLUMS.

Price for trees.....50 cents to \$3.00 each.

Varieties all native of P'Americana and Chicasa type, red except where noted, and all of good quality.

De Sota—Fruit about the size of *Miner*, bright red, a regular and abundant bearer when young.

Miner—Productive, good plum, moderate grower.

Pottawattamie—A good grower, hardy and immense bearer, rather small, needs thinning, it overbears, quality very good; trees five feet high in 1891 bent to the ground with immense crops of plums.

Robinson—An excellent plum, fruit medium size, bright red, sweet, juicy, rich, bears young, very productive.

Weaver—Of fine size, good flavor, very hardy and productive.

Wild Goose—A good variety of the Chickasaw; tree a free, rapid grower, flesh juicy and fine flavor.

Wolf—Fruit nearly as large as *Lombard* and a free-stone, superb for cooking and for use, the same as peaches.

ORIENTAL PLUMS.

This class of plums unites size, beauty and productiveness. Trees are ornamental, with attractive bloom, very productive, coming into bearing at an early age; flesh firm and meaty and resists the curculio equal to our native plums.

Abundance, or *Botan*—(From Japan); hardy here, abundant bearer, vigorous and ornamental growth; fruit large, lemon yellow overspread with bright cherry, flesh orange yellow, melting and rich, ripe August, 75 cents each.

Burbank—(From Japan); very hardy, very productive, beautiful and of fine quality, one of the very best.....75 cents each.

Ogon—Tree vigorous and hardy, good size, nearly round, bright golden yellow with faint bloom, flesh firm, sweet, rich and dry.....75 cents each.

PEACH TREES.....50 CENTS EACH.

A few of the hardy varieties for sale. In the last five years I have had four crops. It pays to plant a tree; they will grow in most any corner, and considerable improvement in hardiness has been attained.

GRAPE VINES.

- Brighton*—Bunches large, flesh rich, sweet, vigorous, ripens early, 35c each.
Clinton—Bunches small, very hardy, an enormous bearer 25c each.
Concord—Two years \$1.00 per dozen, 15c each.
Concord—Three years \$2.00 per dozen, 25c each.
Delaware—Bunches compact, berries light, sweet, sugary, vinous, 40c each.
Green Mountain—A new white grape, very valuable on account of its fine quality and earliness, and the vigor, hardiness and productiveness of the vine. The first white grape to ripen; it is of great merit; \$4.50 per dozen; each 50 cents.
Moore's Early—Bunch large, black, quality better than Concord, ripens fifteen days before Concord, exceedingly hardy and free from disease; \$2.50 per dozen; each 25 cents.
Niagara—We are able to offer strong two-year-old vines of this celebrated white grape at \$3.50 per dozen, 35 cents each.
Pocklington—New white, a strong grower, large size, very attractive in appearance, ripens about the same as Concord, hardy and productive. Strong two-year vines \$2.50 per dozen, 25 cents each.
Vergennes—Dark red, medium to large, sweet, juicy, quality best, vigorous, inclined to overbear; healthy and hardy 40 cents each.
Worden—A seedling of the Concord, larger, ripens earlier and superior in flavor 25 cents each
Concords—By the hundred or thousand at low rates.

RASPBERRIES.

Unless noted, \$2.00 per hundred 50 cents per dozen.

- Brandywine*—Red, large, firm, hardy and productive.
Columbian—Most productive of all Raspberries; dark purplish red, of superior flavor, very hardy, producing a heavy crop after the severe winter of 1898 and 1899. The vines were not injured in the least by the cold. \$3.00 per 100, 75 cents per dozen.
Cuthbert—Red, said to be the best berry in cultivation, new.
Gregg—Largest black cap grown, hardy, vigorous and very productive, late.
Golden Queen—Large, amber color, firm and of fine quality; plant vigorous, hardy and productive.
Kansas Black Cap—A Western seedling, berry large, very prolific and a vigorous grower; about one week earlier than Gregg.
Turner—Red, hardy, vigorous, very productive if the suckers are kept down. This is probably the best raspberry for the West.

BLACKBERRIES.

- Ancient Britton*—Medium size, melting, without core, hardy and vigorous, prolific; one of the best 75 cents per dozen, \$3.50 per 100.
Snyder—Fruit medium, very sweet, productive and hardy. 50 cents per dozen; \$2.00 per 100.

CURRANTS.

- Cherry*—Largest of all red currants, bunches short, vigorous and productive, and a good variety;.....\$1.50 per dozen.
- Fay's Prolific*—A new and choice variety of currant, surpassing in general good qualities all others, color red, bunches long, berry large, very vigorous and productive. Two years old.....\$1.75 per dozen
- Lee's Prolific*—(Black)—Larger than Black Naples and very productive;.....\$1.75 per dozen
- Red Dutch and White Dutch*—Well-known old varieties.....\$1.50 per dozen
- Victoria*—A celebrated late variety, fruit large, bright red, hangs long on the bushes.....\$1.50 per dozen
- White Grape*—Very large, mild and excellent; an excellent table current;.....\$1.50 per dozen

GOOSEBERRIES.

- Columbus*—An American seedling of the English type. Size large, greenish yellow, smooth, of the finest quality, plant a strong grower, has never shown a trace of mildew.....\$4.00 per dozen, 40 cents each
- Downing*—A seedling of Houghton, fruit large, whitish green, flesh soft, juicy, good plant, vigorous and prolific, a good bearer; \$2.00 per doz., 25 cts. each
- Houghton Seedling*—Free from mildew, very productive; \$1.00 per dozen
- Industry*—A foreign variety, large, dark-red color, with pleasant, rich flavor; a heavy bearer of very choice fruit.....\$4.00 per dozen, 40 cents each

STRAWBERRIES.

Price, except where noted, \$1.00 per hundred, 25 cents per doz.

- Bubach*—The largest berry we have, quality one of the best, and a strong grower, a western berry, pistillate.
- Crescent Seedling*—Enormously productive, pistillate, must have staminate varieties near. We find it the most productive variety in our list, and very hardy.
- Clyde*—Very large and productive, not very firm, but one of the best for home use and near market; blossoms perfect.
- Dayton*—Is of large size, blossoms large and staminate, foliage free from rust and disease, is of handsome appearance and of good flavor.
- Haverland*—Vigorous, healthy and very productive, fruit large, long, rather light red, moderately firm and ripens all over, pistillate.
- Splendid*—A very vigorous grower, with perfect blossoms and very productive; fruit large, of good color, firm and fine quality.
- Warfield*—Pistillate, very productive, fruit large size, dark, glossy red, with yellow seed; of regular form from round to conical; a very attractive berry; very best.

MULBERRIES.

- Russian Mulberry*—A remarkably vigorous tree, healthy, and produces fruit, a beautiful tree for the lawn.....Four to five feet, 25 cents each

RHUBARB.

\$2.00 per dozen.....20 cents each

Linneaus—A fine choice variety, one of the very best.

Myatt's Victoria—A fine variety and a strong grower.

ASPARAGUS.

Per hundred.....\$1.50

Argentuel—A new French variety, very large and excellent; one of the best; one year roots.

Conover's Colossal—A standard variety of large size, tender and excellent variety; two and three year roots.

EVERGREENS.

We have a large and well-known assortment of hardy evergreens. This list contains all the standard varieties and many novelties.

Arbor Vitæ—American (White Cedar), well-known plant; transplanted.

10 to 12 inches.....\$ 8.00 per hundred, 10 cents each

12 to 18 inches.....12.00 per hundred, 15 cents each

18 to 24 inches.....15.00 per hundred, 20 cents each

2 to 3 feet.....20.00 per hundred, 25 cents each

Arbor Vitæ—Compacta; a dwarf variety, of compact habit, hardy and good;50 cents each

Arbor Vitæ—Siberian; hardy, good color, compact, choice; 50 cts. to \$1 each

Arbor Vitæ Pyramidalis—(New and rare); a fine tree of compact upright growth, resembling a green column; needs no pruning, rapid grower, perfectly hardy;.....Four feet, \$1.00 each

Arbor Vitæ Golden Douglas—A choice golden evergreen; should be planted in full sunlight;.....Two to three feet, \$1.00 each

Globosa—Globe-headed *Arbor Vitæ*; forms a dense, round shrub; very desirable;.....Eighteen to 29 inches, 75 cents each

JUNIPERS.

Irish—Erect, dense, conical outline, a pillar of green, very desirable, 75c each

Venusta—New and rare; of good growth and erect habit, foliage fine and silvery; a choice ornamental evergreen of small size and perfectly hardy; having thoroughly tested it we consider it a fine acquisition; 4 feet, \$1 each

Virginiana (Red Cedar)—A well-known, beautiful American tree. Price50 cents to \$1.00 each

PINES.

Austrian—A beautiful dark green tree, one of the best in cultivation, grows better as it grows older; should be in every collection; 50 cents to \$1 each.

Dwarf—Nice little Alpine tree; foliage resembles Scotch pine; its general form is that of a compact bush, quite regular in form, a valuable evergreen for small yards or wherever a small evergreen is wanted; will grow in most any location or soil;50 cents to \$1.00 each.

Scotch—Robust, rapid growing, silvery green foliage; 50 cents to \$1.00 each.
White—Very ornamental American tree; let them grow in the sod. Price,
 -----25 to 50 cents each.

SPRUCE FIRS.

Conica (Conical Spruce)—Dwarf variety, of compact, conical habit; becomes perfectly symmetrical without pruning; *one of the best*. Two feet, \$1 each.
Colorado Blue—This species has been tested at various points on our northern prairies with perfect success, enduring a temperature of thirty degrees below zero in exposed situations without injury. This is not only one of the hardiest, but one of the most beautiful of all Spruces. It varies from deep green to both light and dark blue in color. Blue trees, two to three feet, ----- per pair, \$5.00.
Douglasii (of Colorado)—Raised from Colorado seed. This fine tree has proved itself perfectly hardy in the very low temperatures and severe winds of the Northwestern prairies. Too much can not be said in praise of this magnificent and valuable tree; ----- \$1.00 each.
Hemlock—A beautiful, drooping, delicate dark-green tree ---- 50 cents each.
Norway—A well-known, popular tree; desirable ---- 50 cents to \$2.00 each.
Pumilla Compacta—A fine dwarf variety of Norway Spruce, growing from seven to ten feet high; foliage very dark green; tree of compact habit, choice ----- Three feet, 75 cents each.
White—A native tree of medium size, of fine form; foliage silver gray; bark light colored; very hardy and valuable; fine for cemeteries. Three feet, each ----- 50 cents.

DECIDUOUS TREES.

We have a large stock of well-grown, thrifty trees, from seven to twenty feet high, and from one-half inch to four inches in diameter. Those who wish to plant in large quantities will please write for prices by the hundred or thousand.



Ash—American White; a well-known native tree, hardy and ornamental, well adapted for street planting. Eight to fourteen feet high, each, ----- 15 cents to \$2.00
Ash—Green; a nice round-headed tree, rapid grower, stands the *sun well*; used for ornamental and street planting. Eight to fourteen feet high ----- 15 cents to \$2.00 each.
Birch—European White Weeping; a graceful tree of moderate size, with silvery bark and slender branches, erect when young, drooping when five or six years old.
 each ----- 50 cents to \$1.00
Black Walnut—A tree of great size and majestic habit, foliage beautiful, each leaf being composed of from thirteen to seventeen leaflets; nut round. Eight to ten feet high, 50c each.
Catalpa Speciosa—A fine, hardy, large-leaved

- tree; blooms early; valuable for street and timber planting. Nine to ten feet high.....25 cents each.
 Ten to twelve feet high.....50 cents each.
- Catalpa*—Teas Hybrid; a new dwarf variety; blooms very young, blooming in nursery rows; desirable. Eight to ten feet high, 50 cents each.
- Cypress*—A small, beautiful tree, with elegant, yew-like foliage, hardy with us.....50 cents each.
- Cercis*—Judas tree, one of our finest ornamental trees, covered with pink flowers early in the spring before the leaves appear; foliage pure green. Price.....50 to 75 cents each.
- Elm*—American White or Weeping Elm, the noble and drooping tree of our own forests; it has no superior, if it has an equal, in its majesty and beauty, grace and grandeur. Six to fourteen feet high, one to four inches in diameter.....25 cents to \$3.00 each.
- Purple-leaved English Elm; a striking variety, with erect branches and small, purple leaves.....75 cents each.
- Corylifolia Purpurea*; purple, filbert-leaved elm, a fine purple-leaved variety. Six to eight feet high.....\$1.00 each.
- Myrtifolia Purpurea*; purple, myrtle-leaved elm, small, elegant foliage of beautiful purple color. Two to three feet.....75 cents each.
- Hackberry*—A fine Western tree. It has a fine, spreading top; the foliage resembles the elm; a valuable tree for shade or street planting. Price,50 cents to \$1.00
- Horse Chestnut*—White, flowering; hardy, white flowers in May; 75c each.
- Whitleyii; one of the most beautiful varieties on account of its foliage and brilliant red flowers.....\$1.00 each.
- Larch*—European, a native of the Alps; an elegant, rapid-growing, pyramidal tree.....Four to five feet, 75 cents each.
- Linden*—American (Bass Wood); a rapid growing, beautiful native tree, with very large leaves and fragrant flowers; six to 12 feet high, 40c to \$1.00 each
- Red; fern-leaved; an elegant tree of compact habit, bark on young wood red-colored, and foliage deeply cut; valuable for the lawn. PriceSix to seven feet, \$1.00 each
- Dasystyla; a vigorous tree with dark-green glossy leaves and bright yellow bark in winter; a superb tree.....Six to eight feet, \$1.00 each
- Mountain Ash*—European; a beautiful tree, head dense and regular, covered from July till winter with clusters of bright scarlet berries; 25c to \$1.25 each
- Oak-leaved; a hardy tree of fine pyramidal habit, height and breadth from 20 to 30 feet; one of the finest lawn trees; 50c to \$1.00 each
- Maple*—Soft or Silver; a valuable and ornamental tree, regular in outline, beautiful in foliage, vigorous grower in all soils, free from disease, merits which render it popular. Ten to 20 feet, 2 to 4 in. in diameter, 25c to \$2.50 each
- Red, or Scarlet; a species of the above, grows stronger, limbs much shorter and stiffer in growth, deep red blossoms, which appear before the leaves, foliage in autumn changes to bright scarlet. Eight feet, \$1.00 each

Maple—Ash-leaved (Negundo Maple); a native tree, Maple-like in its seeds and Ash-like in its foliage; of spreading habit and rapid growth, a valuable tree. Ten to 16 feet high, 1 to 4 inches in diameter, 25 cents to \$3.50 each

Norway; a large, handsome tree, with broad, deep green shining foliage; its compact habit, stout, vigorous growth, render it one of the most desirable.....50 cents to \$5.00

Cucullatum; curled-leaved Norway Maple; a curious variety with leaves the lobes of which curl and turn upward, giving the tree a novel and distinct aspect.....Three to four feet, \$1.00 each

Digitatum Aureo Marginatis; a variety of the Norway, with golden margined leaves.....\$1.00 each

Reitenbach's Norway; an excellent and striking variety, with dark purple leaves which retain their color through the season. \$1.00 each

Schwerdler's; a beautiful variety, with the young shoots and leaves of a bright purplish crimson color, which changes to purplish green in the older leaves.....\$1.00 each

Quercus---(Oak) Burr Oak or Mossy Cup; foliage the largest and most beautiful among oak leaves, one of the noblest of the family; 4 to 5 ft., 75c each

Rubra, Red Oak; foliage purplish red in autumn ----- 4 to 5 ft., 60c each

Golden leaved; leaves retain their golden tint throughout the season, one of the finest golden leaved trees. Three to four feet \$1.00 each

Sissiflora Purpurea; fine purple foliage. Two to three feet, \$1.50 each.

Poplar—Boleana; a beautiful tree from Central Asia, hardy, does not sprout; leaves very dark green on the upper surface and white underneath; a beautiful tree and a marked object in every collection. Eight to 10 feet, 75c each.

Canadensis; Cottonwood or Canadian Poplar; a large long-lived tree. Eight to twelve feet.....25 cents to 50 cents each.

Carolina; pyramidal in form, leaves large and fine, very valuable for street planting, one of the very best. Eight to nine feet, 30 cents; nine to twelve feet.....50 cents each.

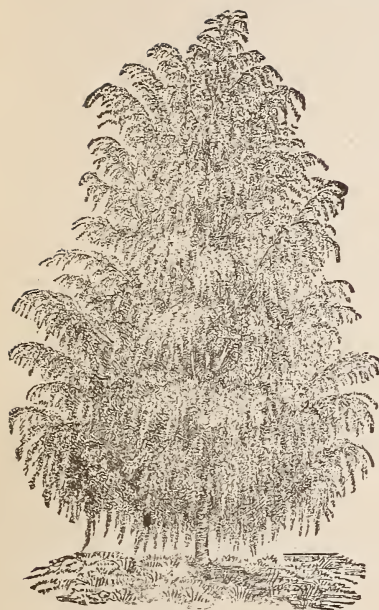
Willow—Salix, Alba; white or gray willow; a European sort with light colored leaves..... 25 to 75 cents each.

S. Aurae; a willow from Siberia; the yellowest of all yellow willows; it attains a large size, hence it needs room; attractive and showy. 50c each.

S. Laurifolia; in our climate this beautiful round topped willow reaches its height of beauty, leaves laurel shaped, large and glossy; a choice lawn tree.....50 cents each.

S. Vitacea; golden willow twigs; very attractive even in old trees. makes a large tree.....25 cents to \$1.00 each.

WEeping TREES.



Birch—Cut-leaved; one of the most popular of all weeping trees, silvery white bark and delicately cut foliage. Six to seven feet, each,\$1.25

Seven to nine feet, each..... 1.50

Elm—Camperdown; picturesque drooping tree, foliage dark green and glossy. Price, each,\$1.50

Mountain Ash—One of the most desirable lawn trees, each.....\$1.00

Weir's Cut Leaf Maple—A beautiful tree, with cut or dissected foliage, growth rapid, shoots slender, graceful habit; interesting tree. Eight feet, each.....\$1.00

Willow—Killmarnock; an exceedingly graceful tree, with glossy foliage, vigorous and thriving in all soils; it is widely disseminated; each,\$1.00

“ *Wisconsin*; of drooping habit, perfectly hardy. Price, six to eight feet, each,.....25 cents to \$1.00

ORNAMENTAL SHRUBS.

Our shrubbery is all strong and hardy, unless otherwise noted, true to name, generally in stools or bunches, and are much better than those shipped from a long distance.

Accacia—Dwarf; very free bloomer, racemes of fragrant, rose-colored flowers; each.....40 cents.

Almond—Dwarf; double, rose colored, flowers early, blooms profusely; each,40 cents.

Althea—The *Altheas* are fine, free-flowering shrubs of easy cultivation: very desirable on account of blooming in August and September, when scarcely any other tree or shrub is in bloom; a little tender here; each, 50 cents.

Berberry—American; a native species with yellow flowers, succeeded by red berries; each,30 cents.

“ *Purple-leaved*; violet-purple foliage, a fine fruit, very valuable for fine, ornamental *hedge*; it retains its purple color throughout the season. Three feet, each.....50 cents.

I have a large quantity of small plants, suitable for hedges.

Carragana Arborescens—Yellow, blossoms in clusters, a beautiful shrub. Two to three feet, each,50 cents.

Colutea Arborescens—Bladder senna; a large shrub with small, delicate foliage and yellow, pea-blossom-shaped flowers in June, followed by reddish pods or bladders; each.....50 cents.

Cornus—*Sanguinea*; very conspicuous in winter; the bark is then blood red. Each,50 cents.

- Cornus*—Red Siberian; a rare and remarkable variety with silver-margined foliage and bright red bark in winter; a very fine shrub; each, 50 cents.
- Chionanthus*—White fringe; a shrub with large, glossy leaves and racemes of pure white flowers having fringe-like petals; each.....75 cents.
- Currant*—Yellow flowering; flower yellow and scented sweet; each, 50 cents.
- Cydonia Japonica*—Japan Quince; scarlet, one of our choicest shrubs, flowers brilliant scarlet, blooms in great profusion, covering the branches before the leaves are developed; each.....50 cents.
- Deutzia*—Gracilis; a charming species from Japan; flowers white; each, 50c.
- Elaeagnus Hortensis*—A shrub of quite striking appearance on account of the silvery whiteness of the foliage, fine in masses of trees: each----50 cents.
- Elder*—Nigra or common Elder; blooms in July, with black berries in September; each,.....50 cents.
- “ Golden Leaved—A fine golden-leaved shrub from Northern Europe; perfectly hardy, more so than our native elder; holds its color well all the season, flowers delicate white; for a golden bank or hedge nothing equals it. It should be planted in full sunlight. Small plants for hedges; price on application. Large plants, each.....50 cents.



Exchorda Grandiflora—From Japan; one of our very rare, fine shrubs; the flowers are pure white, in racemes of five or six, with spoon-shaped petals; it has a delicate fragrance, fine foliage, and is hardy; a fine, choice shrub; each, 50 cents.

Hop Tree (or *Shrubby Trefoil*)—Trifoliate; a large shrub or small tree of rapid growth and robust habit; fruit fringed and in clusters; flowers in June; each, 50 cents

“ *Golden Leaved*—Beautiful, glossy, golden foliage; holds its color well; price, each----\$1.00

Hydrangia Paniculata Grandiflora—Have had this shrub in bloom for years; has stood out without any protection and has not been injured in the least; it blooms in August and Sep-

tember, white, in great pyramidal panicles; a decided acquisition. Price,
 Tree form, 3½ to 4½ feet, each.....75 cents to \$1.00.
 Bush form, 2 to 5 feet, each.....40 cents to 1.00.

- Hypericum*—St. John's Wort; Ascyron, Siberian; a fine shrub, with gay, bright-yellow flowers in summer; each.....50 cents.
- Lonicera*—Upright or Bush Honeysuckle; a class of perfectly hardy, choice flowering shrubs; each.....50 cents.
- “ *Grandiflora Alba*; a variety of upright habit, with large, pure white flowers.....
- “ *Grandiflora Rubra*; a beautiful shrub, very vigorous, producing large, bright red flowers striped with white.....
- Lilac*—Well-known, beautiful shrubs, indispensable in every collection.
- “ *Alba*; Common White Lilac; white blossoms; each.....50 cents.
- “ *Purple*; Common Lilac; bluish-purple flowers; each.....50 cents.
- “ *Caerula Superba*; flowers light purple in bud, but when fully open a clear blue; trees very large; each.....50 cents.
- “ *Josikea* or *Chionanthus*-leaved; from Transylvania; a fine distinct species of tree-like growth, with dark, shining leaves and purple flowers in June, after the other Lilacs have done flowering; esteemed particularly for its fine habit and foliage; each.....50 cents.
- “ *Persian Lilac*; native of Persia; a fine variety and does not sprout; each.....50 cents.
- “ *Rothmagensis* or *Roman Lilac*; a distinct variety, with large, red flowers; very fine; each.....50 cents.
- “ *Virginallis*; flowers pure white and more delicate than the common; each.....50 cents.
- Albert the Good*—An erect, vigorous grower, with large spikes of reddish purple flowers; the best of its color; each.....\$1.00
- Princess Alexandria*—Pure white flowers, panicles medium to large; very fine; each,\$1.00
- Villosa, C.*—A new species from Japan. Large, branching panicles, flowers light purple in bud, fragrant, foliage resembles that of the White Fringe. Especially valuable, as its flowers appear two weeks after those of other lilacs.....75 cents.
- Siberian White Lilac*—A vigorous grower, foliage small and narrow, flowers white, with a bluish tint, fragrant and handsome, free blooming. 75 cents.
- Purple Fringe*—A much-admired shrub for its curious flowers; each, 25 cents.
- Spiraea* (Meadow Sweet)—The spiræas are all elegant, low shrubs of the easiest culture. Price, each.....50 cents.
- “ *Callosa Superba*; of dwarf habit, white flowers in August.
- “ *Golden (Aurea)*; distinctly yellow, rich and massive; one of the most effective large shrubs on the lawn; each.....50 cents.
- “ *Niconderti*; small, smooth, soft leaves, flowers in spikes, one of the first to bloom.
- “ *Prunifolia Flore Pleno*; a beautiful shrub from Japan, with pure white flowers like white daisies in May.
- “ *Douglasi*; has spikes of beautiful deep rose-colored flowers in July and August.
- “ *Bumaldi*; a very handsome new species from Japan, dwarf but vigorous, rose-colored flowers in great profusion in autumn.

- Snowberry*—St. Peter's Wort or Waxberry; a well-known shrub with small pink flowers and large white berries that hang on the plants through part of the winter; each,.....50 cents.
- Sumach*—A native medium-sized shrub, with large clusters of flowers and dark red fruit, leaves scarlet in autumn; each.....50 cents
- Syringia*—Mock Orange. The *Syringia* is an invaluable shrub of vigorous habit, very hardy, with large, handsome foliage and beautiful white flowers. Price, each,.....50 cents.
- Tamarix Amurensis*—A *Tamarix* from the valley of the Amour river, Siberia, the only hardy variety; very fine, delicate leaves and bearing fine pinkish flowers in July and August. Price, each,.....75 cents.
- Thorn* (Cock Spur)—The finest of all our native thorns, leaves bright, shiny green; each,.....50 cents.
- Viburnum* (Arrow Root)—Each,.....50 cents.
- “ *Lantanoides*; a large, robust shrub, with soft, heavy leaves and large clusters of white flowers in May.
- “ *Sterilis*; Snowball tree, a well-known, favorite shrub of large size and pure white flowers.
- “ *Prunifolium*; has smooth, glossy foliage; white flowers in May.
- “ *Rugosum*; has larger and rougher leaves than *Lantanoides*; white in May; very ornamental in foliage and fruit.
- Wiegilia*—Rosea; rose-colored flowers; each.....50 cents.

CLIMBING PLANTS.



- Clematis*—*Coccinea*; bright scarlet, a color hitherto unknown in *Clematis*. Two years, each.....50 cents.
- “ *Henryii*; very large white flowers, one of the best white flowering variety; each,.....75 cents.
- “ *Jackmanii*; deep violet purple flowers, produced in masses; one of the best; each.....75 cents.
- “ *Virginiana*; a very rapid climber, white flowers; each-----25 cents.
- Ampelopsis*—(American Ivy); fine for covering walls or trunks of trees; each.....50 cents.
- “ *Veitchii* (Japan Ivy); a new and beautiful hardy climbing plant; the branches droop with inimitable grace, covering all in summer with a mantle of lovely light green, which changes to brilliant crimson scarlet in autumn. Price, each---25 and 50 cents.

Celastrus—Staff Tree, or bitter sweet; a native climbing plant with fine large □ leaves, yellow flowers and clusters of orange capsuled fruit; each, 50 cents.

Lonicera—(Climbing Honeysuckle); Yellow Trumpet; fine yellow flowers; each.....50 cents.

“ Halleana; Hall's Japan Honeysuckle; a strong, vigorous grower, almost evergreen, with pure white flowers changing to yellow, very fragrant, covered with flowers from July till frost comes. Price, each.....50 cents.



Lonicera—Monthly Fragrant or Dutch; blooms all summer; fragrant. Price, each,.....50 cents.

“ Scarlet Trumpet; in variety a strong, rapid grower, scarlet flowers; price, each, 50 cents.

Wisteria—Flowers in long, drooping racemes of a pale lilac color, one of the most elegant and rapid growing of all climbing plants; attains an immense size, growing from 15 to 20 feet in a season, very hardy, the best climbing plant for all purposes we have here. Price, each.....50 cents.

White—A white variety of *Wisteria*, valuable where white bloom is desired; each.....50 cents.

ROSES.

The Roses in these Lists are generally hardy, but it is better to give them all a slight protection by laying down and covering with some kind of litter or earth. Keep your roses well pruned, excepting the summer and moss roses, and in a good growing condition, for remember that the new roses are all born on the new growth; the more growth the more roses.

SUMMER ROSES (CLIMBERS).

Prairie Roses—Anna Maria; blush, clusters large, very few thorns, vigorous; each, 50 cents.

“ Baltimore Belle; pale blush, compact, full, fine, vigorous grower; each, 50 cents.

“ Mrs. Hovey; vigorous, pale, delicate blush, changing to white; each, 50 cents.

“ Queen of the Prairie; bright rosy red, frequently with white stripe; one of the best of its class. Price, each, 50 cents.

Russylanum—Bright rosy red, splashed and striped with silvery white; one of the most hardy roses, very free bloomer, adapted both as a pillar and climbing rose. Price, each,50 cent.



SUMMER ROSES (NOT CLIMBERS.)

Price, each, 50 cents.

Madam Plantier—Pure white, free bloomer and one of the best white.

Paul Verdier—Carmine red, large, well-built flowers, vigorous.

Sweet Brier—A well-known, sweet-scented single rose.

Scotch—Yellow, hardy, semi-double rose, very free, vigorous.

MOSS ROSES.

Each, unless noted 50 cents.



Blanche Moreau—Pure white, large, full and of perfect form, the buds and flowers produced in clusters and freely furnished with green moss.

Common Moss—Very beautiful buds, a great favorite.

Countess of Murinais—White, vigorous and free.

Princess Adelaide—Pale rose, good form, good in bud and flower.

Salet—A perpetual moss rose, large and full light rose, pretty.

HYBRID PERPETUALS.

Each, unless otherwise noted --- 50 cents.

Alfred Colomb—Brilliant carmine crimson, very large, extremely fragrant.

Anne de Diesbach—Carmine, a beautiful shade, superior garden sort, fragrant.

Baronne Provost—Pure rose color, free bloomer, very full, best.

Charles Lefebre—Pale flesh color, a lovely rose, one of the hardiest.

Caroline de Sansal—Pale flesh color, large, full, a lovely rose, one of the hardiest.

Francois Michelin—Deep crimson rose, free bloomer, excellent, late June and July.

Fisher Holmes—Deep glowing crimson, large, moderately full and of fine imbricated form, a superb rose.

General Jacqueminot—Brilliant crimson, large and effective, fragrant and of excellent, hardy habit.

Hershall P. Wilder—Cherry carmine, very fragrant, and it is undoubtedly the best American rose yet offered and the finest of its color.

John Hopper—Bright rose with carmine center, large, profuse bloomer, standard.

La Reine—Glossy rose, large, very free flowering, hardy, vigorous.

Mabel Morrison—White, sometimes tinged with blush; a very valuable white rose.

Maria Baumann—Brilliant carmine crimson, large and full. of exquisite form and color, extra fine.

Madam Victor Verdier—Carmine crimson, large, full, free bloomer.

Madam Gabriel Louizet—Pink, distinct, very large, cup shaped.

Maurice Bernardin—Bright crimson, large, moderately full, a good, free-blooming, the most prolific of all crimson roses in the spring.

Paul Neyron—Deep rose, the largest variety in cultivation, very desirable.

Ulrich Brunner—Brilliant cherry red, a very effective color, flowers of fine form, vigorous and hardy, one of the best.

RUGOSA.

Each.....50 cents

Alba—A species from Asia; single, pure flowers, highly scented; a splendid shrub, and as hardy as the common wild rose, blooms all summer.

Rosa—Also from Asia; flowers rose-colored, tinged with violet, beautiful single flowers, as hardy as the above, more vigorous, has fine crimson berries in the fall, a beautiful shrub; blooms until stopped by frost.

PERENNIALS.

The Perennials offered here (unless noted) are hardy, standing our severe climate, but it is much better to cover them in the fall with a covering of straw, hay, leaves or manure.

To accommodate my customers I have arranged to furnish almost any variety of tender roses, green-house plants, bedding plants, seeds, etc., at the lowest rates, having permission to select from the best stock in the west. Write for anything you may desire.

Artemesia (Wormwood)—*Vulgaris*; Common Wormwood; a well-known old plant.....25 cents each

“ “ *Abrotanum*: Southernwood; three to four feet, finely cut, fragrant, deep green foliage, 25 cts. each



BLEEDING HEART.

Coreopsis Lanceolata—Flowers bright golden yellow on wiry stems, of fine shape and substance, blooming freely from June until cut off by frost.....25 cents each

CONVALLARIA.

(LILY OF THE VALLEY.)

Majalis—Large luxuriant foliage, flowers small, bell-shaped, in pretty racemes and very fragrant. 75 cents per dozen.....10 cents each

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DIACENTRA.

Diacentra or *Dielytra Eximia*—Rose-color, foliage fern-like, flowers all summer; valuable.....50 cents each.

Diacentra Spectabilis (Bleeding Heart)—A handsome, curiously formed, rosy crimson flower, with white and blue tinged protruding stamen, one of the finest border plants. is quite hardy.....40 cents each

DAHLIAS.

A fine assortment of Dahlias; colors from white to red.....25 cents each

Dahlias must be kept from frost in winter.

Delphinium Foermosum—Bears blue flowers from June until frost.....25 cents each

Double Rudbeckia—Golden Glow—One of the most distinct and beautiful large growing, hardy perennials that has been introduced in years, and one that should find a place in every garden. The plant is a strong grower, and has beautiful double blossoms of golden yellow color: excellent for cut flowers, lasting well; plant easily managed, growing and blooming nicely with little care in almost any kind of soil.....25 cents each.



Hemerocallis Flora (Lemon Lily)—A charming, hardy perennial with broad, grass-like foliage and heads of large, lily-like flowers of a soft yellow, very fragrant; each.....25 cents.

Helianthus Multiflorous Flora Plena—The effect of a single plant is very beautiful, with its very symmetrical, pyramidal growth, its rich, dark-green leaves and yellow blossoms, fine for cut flowers, not quite hardy here, must be well covered in winter or placed in a cellar, same as Dahlias. Each,25 cents.

HIBISCUS ROSE MARROW.

Each.....50 cents.

The Hibiscus are among the largest and most showy of herbaceous plants.

Grandiflora Albus—Large, showy, white flowers in August.

“ *Roseus*—Large, showy rose, flowers in August.

IRIS.

Each, unless noted.....25 cents.

A genus that should be represented in every herbaceous border. They do well in any good soil, and show a variety in color that can not be found in any other class of plants, including almost every combination of brown, blue and purple.

Cristata (Crested Dwarf)—May, flowers light blue.

Apollon—Golden yellow, striped with plum color, June.

Aurica—Large golden-yellow flowers, very fine; each.....40 cents.

Jacquesiano—Deep maroon velvet, tinged with bronze and crimson, a rare and remarkable color.

Florentina—White, tinged with blue and yellow, two feet, May.

HERBACEOUS PAEONIAS.

These are showy, beautiful and easy cultivated plants that recommend themselves to every one who has a garden. They are very hardy, require but little care, and will give a fine display of flowers for nearly three months by selecting from earliest to latest varieties.

Each, unless noted.....50 cents.

Tenifolium—Single red; the earliest and most showy of all the peonias, of fine foliage and very hardy.

Tenifolium Fl. Pl.—New and choice, quite distinct, has beautiful, fern-like foliage, flowers the color and shape of the Jacqueminot rose, one-third larger and fuller. Price,.....75 cents.

Officinallis Varieties—They bloom after the *Tenifoliums*, but before the Chinese varieties; all are double.

Rubra—Fine dark crimson.

Rosea—Rose color, a fine new one of recent introduction, very desirable; each.....75 cents.

Mutabilis—Light pink, changing to white, the only light colored of the early varieties; also new and of recent introduction; each.....75 cents.

CHINESE VARIETIES.

These are the latest to bloom.

Amabilis Grandiflora—Outside petals flesh color, inside petals delicate straw color, large and fine.

Augusta Lammonier—Velvety red, large, full and beautiful.

Baron James Rothschild—Outside petals rose, center salmon, very large and fine.

Claptonia—Creamy white center, outside tinted pink.

Delarchii—Dark purplish crimson, shaded violet.

Duchess de Nemours—Rose color, tinged with violet, large and sweet, plant vigorous and showy.

Fulgida—Crimson, profuse flowering, extra fine.

Globosa—Pure white, full, globular and large, beautiful.

Humeii—Purplish rose, very full and double, large and showy, one of the latest in bloom.

Latipetala—Outside petals flesh color, center ones yellowish white, very large and fine.

Modiste—Deep rose, bright, showy, very large, fine shaped, superb variety.

Papaveriflora—White, lightly tinted with yellow, marked with red in center, very fine.

Rosa Barry—This is a very fine pure white Peonia, pure waxy white bud and flower; the best.....75 cents.

Whitejii—White, large and sweet, blooms in clusters.

PHLOX.

These, when properly grown, are unquestionably one of the finest autumn flowers, and, like the Peony, a flower for the million; it is of vigorous habit, easy culture and produces in great profusion during a long season, flowers of fine form and substantial and of bright and varied colors. They do their best at two years old; after the third year they should be lifted in the fall, divided and transplanted; give them good cultivation.

Each,25 cents.

Andre Leroy—Clear rose, with a lively red center, distinct and fine.

Boule de Fou—Rosy crimson, fine.

Francois Coppee—Large, creamy white flower, with carmine rose center.

Lothair—Rich salmon color, crimson eye, very fine.

Jeanne d'Arc—Dwarf, growing one foot high, pure white, large flowers.

Madam Lechurval—Silver rose, crimson eye, very fine.

Oberon—Coppery red, beautiful.

Queen—Pure white, fine.

HOLLYHOCKS.

We can furnish a collection of fine double sorts of all varieties of this superb flower.

Each.....30 cents.

PHLOX SUBULATA.

(MOSS PINK.)

Ea25 cents.

PHLOX SUBULATA ALBA.

A white variety of the above, very showy when in flower, presenting to the eye masses of bloom like sheets of snow.

Each.....25 cents.

PINKS.

Dianthus Plumarius—(Garden Pink)—Forms dense tufts of glaucous leaves, nice for edging flowers, pink, fragrant.

\$1.00 per dozen.....15 cents each.



- Spirea Astilboides*—Bloom in June and July, a beautiful Japanese species, belonging to the “*Arunsus*” group, about two feet high, producing dense plumes of feathery white flowers, a beautiful plant. Price, each.....50 cents.
- “ *Palmata*—Three feet, June and August, a fine plant, with heads of crimson flowers and elegant foliage; each.....\$1.00
- “ *Palmata Var Elegans*—The flowers vary from creamy white to pure white, with a tinge of crimson in the center, fine for cutting, forming panicles in abundance; each.....50 cents.
- “ *Venusta*—Two feet, July, branching feathery plumes of soft, rose color, one of the best *Spireas*; each.....50 cents.
- Eulalia Febrina*—A remarkably variegated plant, having bars of yellow running crossways, hardy and one of the most ornamental grasses in cultivation; each.....25 cents.

YUCCAS (Spanish Bayonet).

These have a grand appearance; the stem rises two feet above the ground, covered with large, bell-shaped flowers on latterals, forming a perfect pyramid, foliage evergreen and hardy, fine for planting in cemeteries; blooms in July.

Each,50 cents.

CLEMATIS PANICULATA.

Clematis Paniculata—The best of all hardy climbers. This is one of the most desirable, handsomest and hardiest of our garden vines, and it is long lived and easy to grow and manage. It is one of the very best of vines to grow near the house, as it is so free from insects, and remains neat looking throughout the whole summer. The flowers are of medium size, pure white, borne in immense sheets, and of a most delicious and penetrating fragrance.....50 cents each

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